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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

	a. Previously submitted								
	i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on								
	(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered.)								
	ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on								
		iii. Other:							
	b.	\boxtimes	Enclosed						
		i.		iv	. 🔲 Form P	TO-1449			
		ii.	Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)	V.		of References listed in Form for U.S. patents and applica			
		iii.	☐ Information Disclosure Statement	(IDS) vi	. 🛛 Other: 1	Terminal Disclaimer			
2.	_ , , ,								
	a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required.)								
	b.		Applicant claims small entity status. S	ee 37 CFR 1.	27				
	c.		Other:				•		
3.	3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.								
	a. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the total amount indicated below. A								
	duplicate copy of this transmittal sheet is enclosed herewith.								
		i. RCE fee of \$770.00 (large entity) required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) \$770.0							
		ii. One-month extension of time fee of \$110.00 (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)							
	iii. Petition for an extension of time for the period noted above, as well as for any								
	additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge								
	Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.								
	iv. Suspension of action fee of \$130.00 (37 CFR 1.17(i))								
		v.	Other: Terminal Disclaimer				\$110.00		
Total amount to be charged to Deposit Account						\$880.00			
	b. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the above fees or to								
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